



Courtesy cars looking for construction zone drivers in need

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UTAH COUNTY -- Some special help is available for drivers in need along Interstate 15 in the Utah County construction zone. The courtesy cars, as some call them, are actually trucks, and the drivers are maintenance workers trained to get your broken down car off the road quickly.

"The Courtesy Patrol is there to get you safely off the freeway and not cause further delays for the people who are continuing to travel," says I-15 CORE Project spokeswoman Heather Barnum. "Whether it's a dead battery, out of gas, anything that may have kept you from continuing on your way on the freeway, they are going to help you."

Barnum says at least one courtesy car will be out traveling the construction zone seven days a week, 24 hours a day.

The Courtesy Patrol vehicles are marked, and they have flashing lights on the roof.

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